## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE, AND LISTING OF ALL CLAIMS WITH PROPER IDENTIFIERS

Claims 1-12 (Cancelled)

- (Currently amended) A greenhouse, comprising:
  - a plurality of frame elements forming a frame of the greenhouse.
  - a plurality of pillows having at least one upper translucent surface facing a radiation source, each pillow supported in a respective frame element.
  - a fluid element having a fluid circulating therethrough and a lens system arranged inside each pillow and formed so as to direct <u>and</u> <u>concentrate</u> only a <u>portion</u> of the <u>direct incident</u> radiation that strikes the upper translucent surface in a direction perpendicular to the upper translucent surface onto the fluid element, and
  - a thermodynamic machine extracting thermal energy from the fluid for producing at least electrical power.
- 14. (Previously presented) The greenhouse of claim 13, and further comprising a heat reservoir for storing a portion of the thermal energy that is not extracted by the thermodynamic machine.

Claims 15-21 (Cancelled)

- 22. (Currently amended) A modular greenhouse comprising:
  - a plurality of modular optical elements, each optical element including first and second highly transparent cover sheets supported by a mechanically stable frame thereby forming a pillow, with a plurality of pillows forming an envelope for the greenhouse,
  - an optical lens system <u>arranged inside each pillow which directs</u> and concentrates direct incident radiation that strikes the translucent

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## cover sheets of each pillow, and

- an a light energy collection and converting system arranged integrated in each said modular optical element for collecting light and converting light into energy.
- (Previously presented) The greenhouse of claim 22, wherein the pillows are inflated.
- 24. (Currently amended) The greenhouse of claim 23, wherein the optical lens system inside each pillow, or the pillow itself is adapted for tracking a movement of the sun so that direct <u>incident</u> radiation from the sun can strike a surface of an upper pillow cover sheet <del>substantially normal to the eurface</del>, and wherein the lens system in each of the pillows is oriented in such a way as to realize a concentration of direct <u>incident</u> radiation into a focal area of the light collection and converting system.
- 25. (Previously presented) The greenhouse of claim 24, wherein hot fluid is produced through solar radiation by the lens system and supplied to a thermodynamic machine, via a first line while cooled fluid is returned to the lens system via a second line.
- 26. (Previously presented) The greenhouse of claim 25, wherein a heat reservoir is connected between the lens system and the thermodynamic machine for providing around the clock power.
- 27. (Previously presented) A modular optical element comprising: two highly transparent sheets supported along their circumference by a mechanically stable frame and forming a pillow, the said pillow including an optical lens system and light collection and conversion system arranged within the pillow, and wherein the pillow is inflatable with compressed air.

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(Previously presented) The optical element of claim 27, wherein pluralities
of the said optical elements are assembled to form an enveloping structure
of a greenhouse.

- 29. (Previously presented) The greenhouse of claim 13, wherein the light collection and conversion system includes a solar cell or a photovoltaic collector; and wherein the translucent surfaces are each an element selected from the group consisting of a Fresnel lens, a holographic lens and a refractive optical element.
- (Currently amended) The greenhouse of claim 28 22, wherein the light collection and conversion system includes a solar cell or a photovoltaic collector.
- (Currently amended) The greenhouse of claim 24, wherein the a solar cell is located in the focal area of the light collection and converting system.
- (Previously presented) The greenhouse of claim 27, wherein the pillow is made from environmentally stable fluoropolymer sheets.
- (New) The greenhouse of claim 13, wherein the lens system is a suntracking lens system.
- 34. (New) The greenhouse of claim 22, further comprising that diffuse radiation is transmitted through the optical lens system creating a glare free illumination for plant growing or illumination of rooms.